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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:	Hidetaka NUMATA, et al.	Examiner:	
Serial No.:	10/036,798		Awad, Amr. A.
Filed:	12/20/2001	Art Unit:	2675
For:	MANUAL INPUT DEVICE WHICH PROVIDES ITS CONTROL KNOB WITH PLURAL MODES OF OPERATION FEELING AND CAR MOUNTED APPARATUS CONTROLLER BASED THEREON		
Attorney Docket No:	9281-4677	Client Ref. No.	J US00972

TRANSMITTAL

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Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Attached are:

- ☒ Transmittal Letter (in dup); Amendment and Response to Office Action of 04/22/2005 (8 pgs); and
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard

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- ☐ An extension fee in the amount of \$_____ for a _____-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).
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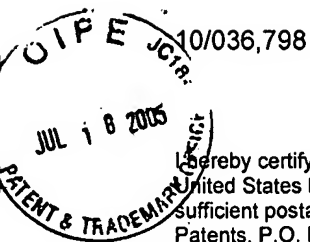
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action of April 22, 2005. The Claims begin on page 2 and the Remarks begin on page 7.